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A FRIDAY \$1.95 SALE Of Women's Striking Shoe Styles

A Sale of \$2.50 values—at a \$1.95 price. A Sale of fresh, new, stylish, comfortable and durable Shoe Lines—which again demonstrates the superior advantages of this House in immense buying and underprice selling. Following good styles—in all sizes—at all our 3 stores FRIDAY ONLY:

3 styles WHITE SEA ISLE DUCK Button Boots—with low or high heel.
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Any Shape or Size You May Desire.



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WHITE DUCK Pumps and Oxfords.

Goodyear Welt Soles—That Means "Hand Sewed."

Other FRIDAY ATTRACTIONS—At Our 3 Stores Tomorrow.

"VENUS" TAN LOW SHOES

At \$3.50 & \$4.00

Are the best looking TANS to be seen anywhere. Shown in 20 stunning sorts of "ENGLISH" Low-heeled Oxfords—Pumps with high or low heel, some with wing tip—Heavy Mannish Blucher Oxfords with "rope-stitched" soles—and Button Oxfords.

Also shown in all other leathers and fabrics.

Low Heel Shoes for Young Ladies

Are all the rage. Both in Blucher and Straight Laced Oxfords—and in Pumps with leather bow and tip or silk low and plain toe. We offer a dozen superior \$3.50 grade styles, in Tan and black leathers. Special for Friday at—

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WHITE CANVAS BOOTS

Oxfords and High Shoes, made of good wearing Gun Metal Calf. Sizes to 13½. Friday—

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Small Boys' Shoes.

Oxfords and High Shoes, made of good wearing Gun Metal Calf. Sizes to 13½. Friday—

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Girls' Low Shoes.

Misses' and Growing Girls' Gun Metal Calf and Patent Colt "COLONIAL PUMPS" with instep strap.

Sizes 1½ to 2.....\$1.39

Sizes 2½ to 5.....\$1.89

"Boy Scout" Shoes.

Made of Tan Elkskin with Elkskin soles. Special lot tomorrow.

Worth 30c a pair more than these prices:

Sizes 11 to 13½.....\$1.39

Sizes 1 to 5½.....\$1.89

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Splendid \$2.50 value Stylish and Durable Tan Russia or Willow Calf High and Low Shoes.

A dozen attractive kinds in all sizes.

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At \$3.50 & \$4.00

Are the best "buy" for the man who wants distinctive style, perfect fitting qualities and, above all, a degree of DURABILITY that leaves the wearer of all annoyance from breaks, rips and tears for more than the average life of a shoe.

They come in all the best tan, black and shiny leathers.

"Black Raven" \$2.50

Men's Shoes

Once in over 25 new styles for spring wear. Oxfords and High Shoes in patent wearing Tan, Black and patent black leather. Special lot tomorrow.

They not only LOOK, but also WEAR AS WELL as many a \$3.50 shoe—so why not "SAVE A DOLLAR"?

Friday at—

\$2.50

Base Ball Contest Ends Saturday.

And every contestant should make a determined effort to get votes this last week. All votes must be in by closing time next Saturday night.

5 votes for—

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ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS

Two Suits Pending for Receiver for Emerson Engine Company.

CLUB TO BUILD NEW HOME

Local I. O. O. F. Lodges Visited by State Grand Master Southall—New High School Building Urged.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., April 17, 1913.

A second suit within a week of appointment of a receiver for the Emerson Engine Company, Incorporated, of this city, was filed today in the circuit court for this city for Robert T. Weaver and R. H. Goldsborough of Washington, by Attorney John S. Barbour. The object of the suit is to rescind certain contracts, dated June 10, 1912, whereby the complainants subscribed \$50,000 of the stock of the Emerson Engine Company, Incorporated, and to require repayment of the consideration paid by complainants under said contract to join and restrain Victor Lee Emerson, Victor F. Emerson and Henry F. Jenkins, pending this litigation, from assigning or transferring any of their stock in the Emerson Engine Company, Incorporated, and to have a receiver appointed.

The other suit for a receiver for the concern came up before Judge J. B. T. Thornton in the circuit court at Manassas, Va., Saturday last, and action on the application was deferred until tomorrow. Judge Thornton tomorrow will hear both applications for the appointment of a receiver for this concern.

The Emerson Company was organized here in 1906 and manufactures marine and aeronautical engines. Its plant is on the river front, which was formerly the Pioneer Mills property.

Club Plans Annual Regatta.

The Alexandria Motor Boat Club at a meeting last night adopted plans for the erection of a new clubhouse. Specifications will be submitted to local architects, and it is expected that within the next week or ten days the contract will be awarded and work begun. It will be erected sixty feet south of the Alexandria County Light on the wharf, at the Wolfe street dock. It will be a frame structure, two stories high and will be 25 by 35 feet. The building will be erected on the wharf, at the Wolfe street dock. It will be a frame structure, two stories high and will be 25 by 35 feet. The building will be erected on the wharf, at the Wolfe street dock. It will be a frame structure, two stories high and will be 25 by 35 feet.

A. M. Southall, grand master of the state I. O. O. F. of Danville, Va., in a speech before the local lodges, at a reception tendered him last night, paid a warm tribute to the local organization for the honorable manner in which he had been received. The occasion was an official visit to the Potomac and Sappetta lodges here and Falls Church Lodge.

Delegates from lodges at Centinck, Dumfries, Lorton and Occoquan also attended. J. T. O'Meara, district deputy grand master, presided.

Others who made speeches during the evening were Walter T. Oliver, W. M. Ellison and Mr. Payne of Falls Church Lodge, and D. R. Stansbury, H. Noel Garner, Mr. Studs and J. William May of the local lodges. The luncheon was served by the Daughters of Rebekah. Necessity for the erection of a public high school building will be urged upon members of the joint committee on schools and finance of the city council at a public meeting tonight by members of the Chamber of Commerce, Retail Merchants' Association, Alexandria Trades Council and organizations affiliated with it, together with a delegation from the Fraternal Order of Americans.

Council of Women Meets.

A public meeting of the National Council of Women will be held tonight at Trinity M. E. Church, when addresses will be made by Miss Julia Lathrop of Washington, on "The Children's Bureau"; Miss Sadie American of New York, on "Our Foreign Population," and Mrs. Kay Wright Sewell of San Francisco, on "Peace and Arbitration."

The grounds and buildings at Mount Vernon are being given a general overhauling just now for the annual meeting of the board of regents, which will convene there May 1 next.

In the suit of T. J. Fannon and others against the receiver of the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation, for the Bickers estate of Charlottesville, asking that they be allowed to certain interest, was continued until Monday.

Mrs. Virginia Johnson Devers, seventy years old, died last night at her home at Franconia, Fairfax county. The funeral takes place tomorrow afternoon from Sharon Chapel, Fairfax county.

City Sergt. R. H. Cox leaves tomorrow for Richmond for the purpose of summoning a venire of twenty-five talesmen from which to select a jury for the trial of Lewis and Clark, former secretary and general manager of the defunct Mercantile Railway Building and Loan Association, beginning here Monday.

Official Abattoir Designated.

Beginning next Monday, all cattle slaughtered in the city will have to be killed at the slaughter house of Aaron O'Dell, just north of the city limits, designated as the official abattoir by the city council health committee.

Camp Fire Girls, an auxiliary to the Boy Scouts, has organized with a membership of sixty, and with the following officers: Miss Marion Grech, president; Miss Mary Nalls, vice president; Miss Louise Abbott, treasurer, and Miss Mary Nalls, recording secretary.

Calvin Neal, colored, charged with allowing a horse to be run by the street, forfeited \$5 collateral in the police court today.

Maj. James E. King underwent an operation today at the Garfield Hospital, Washington.

The local examination for midshipmen was concluded this afternoon.

BARONESS DECLARED MAD.

Suffering From an Illusion of Grandeur, According to Testimony.

Foreign Correspondence of The Star.

LONDON, April 2, 1913. The mental condition of a "haughty" baroness was today the subject of a trial in lunacy and a jury in Dublin this week. The lady is Baroness Gousage, who is at present in an asylum at Nice.

Counsel explained that the baroness was born in Ireland and in 1882 married Baron von Sternberg, a Russian, by whom she had two children, a daughter being now in an asylum.

In 1903 the baroness was declared to be of unsound mind, and was kept under the care of the lord chancellor until 1909, when she went abroad and married her second husband, Baron von Gousage, who also predeceased her.

The baroness had a very peculiar form of mental trouble. She had a haughty disposition and thought no one fit to associate with her. The doctor in the asylum at Nice testified that she was suffering from a delusion of grandeur, and that she believed herself to be a queen. She had pride-madness, or delusion of grandeur. She thought the water was trying to poison her. She had bombarded her solicitor with telegrams, seven or eight a day, and had threatened to wash and refused to go to bed.

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Special Values Friday and Saturday Household, Decorative and Dress Linens.

50 dozen Extra Heavy Double Thread Turkish Bath Towels, in red and blue borders; size 25x45. Were 37c. Now, each.....25c

46 dozen Fine All Pure Linen Heavy Huck Towels; hemstitched ends, with fancy red borders. Were 37c. Now, each.....25c

62 dozen Hemstitched and Plain Ends Guest Towels; big line of patterns; plain and monogram borders; size 14x20. Were 37c. Now, each.....25c

40 pieces All Pure Linen Kitchen Crash; red and blue border; best value ever shown at the price. Were 15c. Now, yard.....10c

22 pieces All Pure Linen Glass Toweling, in checks and stripes; very fine and free from lint. Were 17c. Now, yard.....12½c

25 Fine Irish Bleached Damask Pattern Cloths; only one size, 2 yards wide, 3 yards long; big value. Were \$4.50. Now, each.....\$3.00

20 pieces Austrian Silver Bleached Table Damask; good range of patterns; fine quality. Were \$1.25. Now, yard.....\$1.00

15 pieces Fine Irish and Scotch Bleached Damask; fine line of patterns. Were \$1.25. Now, yard.....\$1.00

15 dozen All Pure Linen Hemstitched Bureau Scarfs; fine quality; size 18x54. Were 75c. Now, each.....50c

10 dozen Fine Lace-trimmed and Lace Insertions Bureau Covers. Were 65c. Now, each.....50c

20 dozen Hemstitched Bureau Scarfs; embroidered ends; 18x50. Were 50c. Now, each.....31c

48 Hand-drawn Table Covers; 54x54; good range of patterns. Were \$3.50. Now, each.....\$2.00

5 doz. 30x30 Hemstitched Pillow Shams; cut-out corners. Were 75c. Now, each.....50c

10 doz. 30x30 Hemstitched Pillow Shams; embroidered. Were 50c. Now, each.....31c

Special Linen Dress Suitings

Fine White Belfast Linen in Waisting—36 inches.....50c

90-inch Fine French Linen Suiting; beautiful weave; oyster white; shrunk from 96 to 90 inches. \$1.50

Creaseless Linen Suiting; thoroughly shrunk; in pink, Alice blue, brown, cream, tan and dark blue; 36 inches wide. Yord.....60c

Fine Shiki Linen Suiting; yarn dyed; in tan, brown, blue, lavender and electric blue; 36 inches wide. Yord.....60c

Linen Suiting; Momie weave, in blue, pink, oyster and lavender; 45 inches wide. Yord.....90c

Linen Ramie Suitings; lavender, pink, helio and blue; yarn dyed; 44 inches wide. Yord.....50c

Fine French Linen Suitings; tan, pink, Alice blue, lavender, mulberry, navy and light blue; 45 inches wide. Yord.....60c

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Interior View, Showing Construction of Refrigerator.

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Wall Papers Decorations

What is the meaning of the tragedy of storm and flood devastating the country?

For that matter, what is the meaning of Nature in her terrible moods, of Fate in her strange freaks of fury, of the eruption of Mont Pelee, of the earthquake at Messina, of the sinking of the Titanic?

Primitive men had a short and simple answer: The gods were angry; they must be propitiated by sacrifices of bulls, goats or human creatures.

Medieval men held about the same view arranged in Christian terms.

In early New England days Puritan preachers considered all disasters of nature as punishment of men for their sins.

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Sues for Loss of Ring.

The loss of a diamond ring left on the washstand of a Pullman car forms the basis of a suit to recover \$800 damages filed today in the District Supreme Court by Jennie B. Withers against the Pullman company. Attorneys J. W. Glennan and E. L. Gies appear for the plaintiff.

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